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FOR SENCER/ROBINSON FROM NOONAN

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SWEL, NI

SUBJECT: OUTBREAK OF LASSA VIRUS

1. INITIAL INVESTIGATION LASSA OUTBREAK COMPLETE.
REVIEW OF HOSPITAL RECORDS REVEALS NO OTHER APPARENT CASES.
SEVERAL PATIENTS FROM ST CHARLES BORROMEO HOSPITAL WITH
PROLONGED FEVERS BEING TRACED, HOWEVER. THREE SCBH STAFF
HAD SUBSEQUENT FEBRILE ILLNESSES. SERUM SAMPLES TAKEN
FROM STAFFS OF ALL HOSPITALS INVOLVED AND FROM
SUSPECTED INDEX CASE, A 19-YEAR-OLD MALE FROM ONITSHA AND
EHPESHI. RODENTS COLLECTED AT ONITSHA. BOWEN TO RETURN
AS PLANNED WITH SPECIMENS.

2. NO ADDITIONAL CASES ANTICIPATED.
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